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8 Pend Oreille Wildlife Management Area-Hawkins Point and Sunnyside Access

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LAT/LONG: 48.2827217,-116.3788176 48.2881332,-116.3881731

DIRECTIONS: From Sandpoint, US 95 N ~1.5 mi to ID 200; E on ID 200; at mp 35, R at "Sportsman's Access"; go under bridge; L on Sunnyside Rd; zero odometer; go 9.5 mi to Hawkins Pt; follow Sunnyside Rd E to return to ID 200.

A great birding route on Lake Pend Oreille. It hosts tens of thousands of waterfowl, huge rafts of coots, and diving birds in the fall and is a staging area for Red-necked Grebes and loons in Sept.–Oct. Hawkins Point and the adjacent Pack River flats are among the most reliable places to find a Eurasian Wigeon (among thousands of Americans) in the fall. This is an area to watch for Lewis's Woodpeckers, near and west of Hawkins Point. Bald Eagles breed on nearby islands.

